

THE CITY OF PLATTEVILLE, WISCONSIN COMMON COUNCIL AGENDA

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an **Organizational Meeting** of the Common Council of the City of Platteville shall be held on Tuesday, April 16, 2024 at **5:00 PM** in the Council Chambers at 75 North Bonson Street, Platteville, WI.

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. ADMINISTER OATH OF OFFICE

- District 3 Alderperson (3-year term) – Bob Gates
- District 4 Alderperson (3-year term) – Ken Kilian
- At-Large Alderperson (3-year term) – Tom Nall

IV. ELECTION OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT

V. DESIGNATION OF PRESIDENT PRO TEM

VI. ELECTION OF PLAN COMMISSION MEMBER

VII. DETERMINE COUNCIL SEATING ARRANGEMENTS

VIII. ACTION

- A. Resolution 24-03 Designation of Official Newspaper – Platteville Journal
- B. Continuation of City Attorney and Special Counsel for Prosecutorial Services

IX. ADJOURNMENT

***Please note - this meeting will be held in-person.**

If your attendance requires special accommodation, write City Clerk, P.O. Box 780, Platteville, WI 53818 or call (608) 348-9741 Option 6.

OATH

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
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GRANT COUNTY .)

I, Bob Gates having been elected to the office of
Aldersperson – District 3

swear (or affirm) that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of Wisconsin and will faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of said office to the best of my ability.

So help me God.

 (Signature of Elected or Appointed Official)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of April, 2024.

 (Signature of person authorized to administer oaths.)

My Commission expires _____, or is permanent.

Notary Public, or City Clerk
 (Official title, if not a notary)

OATH

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

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GRANT COUNTY .)

I, Ken Kilian having been elected to the office of

Aldersperson – District 4

swear (or affirm) that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of Wisconsin and will faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of said office to the best of my ability.

So help me God.

(Signature of Elected or Appointed Official)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of April, 2024.

(Signature of person authorized to administer oaths.)

My Commission expires _____, or is permanent.

Notary Public, or City Clerk
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The information on this form is required by Article IV, Section 28 of the Wisconsin Constitution, s. 19.01, (Im), Stats.
This form is prescribed by the State Elections Board, 132 E. Wilson St., Madison, WI 53702 (608)266-8005

OATH

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
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 GRANT COUNTY .)

I, Tom Nall having been elected to the office of
Aldersperson – At Large

swear (or affirm) that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the State of Wisconsin and will faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of said office to the best of my ability.

So help me God.

(Signature of Elected or Appointed Official)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of April, 2024.

(Signature of person authorized to administer oaths.)

My Commission expires _____, or is permanent.

Notary Public, or City Clerk
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**THE CITY OF PLATTEVILLE, WISCONSIN
COUNCIL SUMMARY SHEET**

COUNCIL SECTION: ACTION ITEM NUMBER: VIII.A.	TITLE: Resolution to Designate Official Newspaper	DATE: April 16, 2024 VOTE REQUIRED: Majority
PREPARED BY: City Clerk Colette Steffen		

Description:

To assign the official newspaper for the City of Platteville. All publications of official business will be posted in this newspaper.

Budget/Fiscal Impact:

None

Sample Affirmative Motion:

"I move to approve Resolution 24-03 to assign the Platteville Journal as the official newspaper for the City of Platteville."

Attachments:

- Resolution 24-03

RESOLUTION NO 24-03

DESIGNATION OF OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER

BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE Common Council of the City of Platteville, Grant County, Wisconsin that the Platteville Journal be designated as the official newspaper for all publications of official business.

PASSED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL on the 16th day of April, 2024.

_____, Common Council President

ATTEST:

Colette Steffen, City Clerk

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**THE CITY OF PLATTEVILLE, WISCONSIN
COUNCIL SUMMARY SHEET**

COUNCIL SECTION: ACTION ITEM NUMBER: VIII.B.	TITLE: Continuation of City Attorney and Special Counsel for Prosecutorial Services	DATE: April 16, 2024 VOTE REQUIRED: Majority
PREPARED BY: Nicola Maurer, Administration Director		

Description:

According to the City of Platteville Charter Ordinance relating to the selection and tenure of the City Attorney, the term of the City Attorney shall be for two years, beginning on May 1. The appointment is made by a majority vote of the Common Council. The City currently contracts with William (Bill) Cole of Axley Brynelson for City Attorney services and with Wood Law Firm, LLC for prosecutorial services. Current practice is that staff bring forward a recommendation regarding continuance of attorney services at the annual Council organizational meeting.

Budget/Fiscal Impact:

No change to the budget required.

Recommendation:

Staff are pleased with the services being provided by both attorneys and recommend the reappointment of the City Attorney and Special Counsel - Prosecutorial Services.

Sample Affirmative Motion:

"I move to approve continuation of services with Bill Cole of Axley Brynelson for City Attorney and Ben Wood of Wood Law Firm for Special Counsel – Prosecutorial Services."